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MELISSA ARAUJO

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	Case No.: 1:22-CR-00195-NODJ-BAM-2
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	STIPULATION AND ORDER TO
vs.)	ALLOW DEFENDANT DOCTOR'S VISIT
MELISSA ARAUJO,)	
)	
Defendant)	

TO: THE CLERK OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, ASSIGNED UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE, AND ANTONIO PATACA, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY:

COMES NOW Defendant, MELISSA ARAUJO, by and through her attorney of record, DAVID A. TORRES hereby requesting that she be allowed to travel from her home to Valley Children's Medical Group, 12500 Stockdale Hwy. Bakersfield, CA 93314 on February 20, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. and returning home on February 20, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

Ms. Araujo has informed our office that her son, Emiliano Chavez (age 5) has an appointment with a cardiologist at Valley Children's Medical Group. Should the court grant this request, Ms. Araujo intends to leave her home at approximately 1:10pm, travel by vehicle to the scheduled appointment and arrive at 1:45pm. Ms. Araujo will return to her residence

1 immediately after the doctor's appointment. Ms. Araujo anticipates arriving at her residence at
2 5:00 p.m. the same evening.

3 Ms. Araujo's son was recently diagnosed with a heart condition. He is currently
4 undergoing a series of medical tests to evaluate the extent of the issue.

5 Ms. Araujo was released on the condition that she participates in the Location
6 Monitoring Program and remain in home detention at a pre-approved residence. Ms. Araujo has
7 been compliant with all conditions of release. Ms. Araujo is scheduled for sentencing on March
8 25, 2024.

9 I have spoken to AUSA Antonio Pataca, it is my understanding, he has no objection to
10 allowing Ms. Araujo to file this request.

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12 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

13 Respectfully Submitted,

14 DATED: February 2, 2024

/s/ David A Torres

DAVID A. TORRES
Attorney for Defendant
MELISSA ARAUJO

17 DATED: February 2, 2024

/s/ Antonio Pataca

ANTONIO PATACA
Assistant U.S. Attorney

ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED that Ms. Araujo be allowed to travel to Valley Children's Medical Group, Bakersfield, on February 20, 2024, at 1:10 p.m. and return to home detention on February 20, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 2, 2024

/s/ Barbara A. McAuliffe
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE